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Process for the Production of Difluoromethane

**Assistant Commissioner for Patents** 

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## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action mailed February 13, 1998. Claims 1-9 are pending in the application. Claims 1 - 5 are allowable and claims 6 - 8 are objected to and claim 9 is rejected. Claims 10-18 were canceled by applicants in paragraph 2 of the Division Application Transmittal Form mailed October 28, 1997 which accompanied the instant application.

In the Claims:

Please amend the claims as set forth below:

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In claim 6, line 1, delete "any one of claims 1 to" and insert -- claim --.

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9. (Amended) A process for producing difluoromethane comprising the steps of:

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